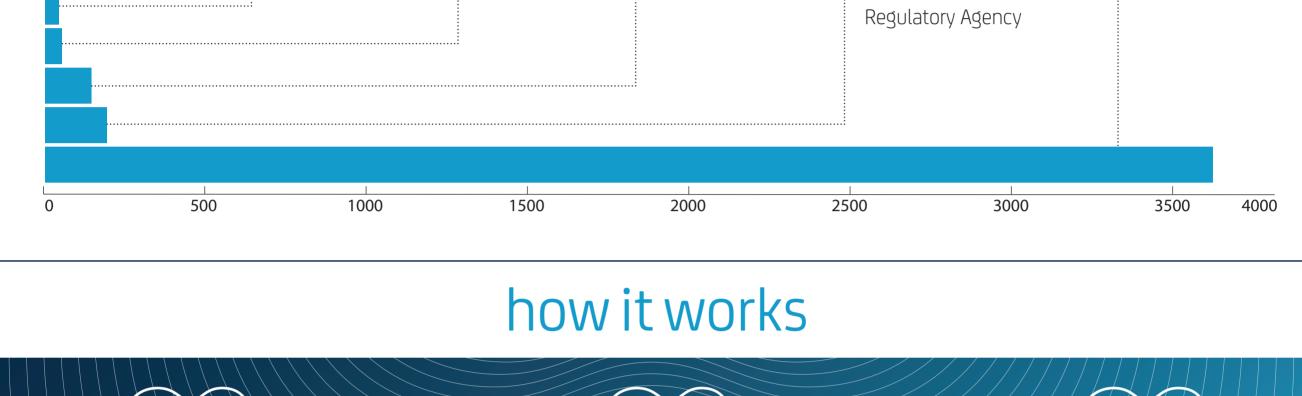


CRIMINAL ACTIVITY

Nominet expressly prohibits .UK domains from being used for any unlawful purpose. When alerted by law enforcement agencies, we work quickly with our registrars to suspend domains. Suspended domains cannot be used as part of website or email addresses.







Nominet makes

administrative checks





Law enforcement agency notifies

Nominet that a domain is

being used for criminal activity

received in the specified 12 months that didn't result in suspensions



A suspension request may not result in a suspension for a number of reasons — for example, the domain may have already been suspended due to a duplicate request, or the domain may have already been transferred on a court order.

Nominet notifies the registrant

and works with the registrar

to suspend the domain

reversals





If the holder of a suspended domain asks Nominet for the suspension to be reversed, we check all internal procedures to confirm the suspension was correctly applied. Any complaints regarding grounds for suspension are referred back to the law enforcement agency. A suspension request can be lifted if the law enforcement agency that made the original request confirms this.

Data refers to domains suspended due to requests received during the specified period

OFFENSIVE NAMES

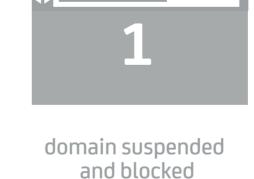
Nominet prohibits the registration of domain names that promote or incite serious sexual offences

(where there is no reasonable or legitimate use for that domain).



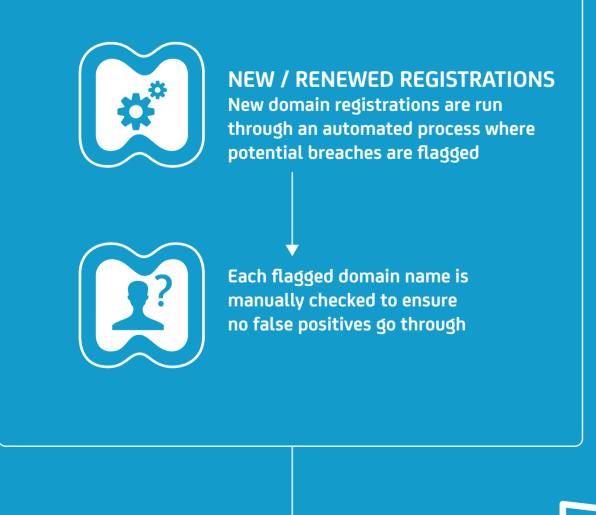
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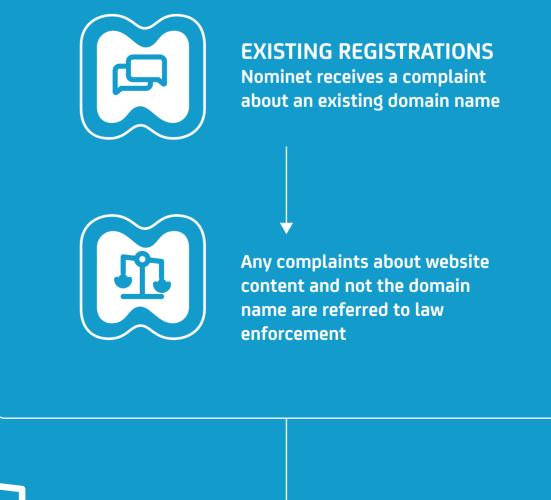






how it works







If a domain name is in breach, the registrant and registrar are notified

Registrants have 30 days to appeal this assessment.

and the domain suspended and blocked so that no one

can register that domain in the future.

ABOUT NOMINET

Nominet is an international, internet company with a team of 150 people based in Oxford and London. It is a public benefit

company with 2,800 members. Since 1996, Nominet has managed and run domain names that end in .UK and is now one of the world's largest country code registries. With the proceeds of their successful registry business, Nominet set up and supports the

Appeals would be referred to an independent external body.

Nominet Trust, an independent charitable foundation focussed on increasing access, safety and education on internet issues. Rights holders who wish to seek control of a domain name they believe should be theirs, might be interested in our Dispute